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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: ETRD, GATT
SUBJECT: DERESTRICTION OF GATT DOCUMENTS

REF: STATE 085111

1. GATT SECRETARIAT BELIEVES IT WOULD BE INAPPROPRIATE FOR SECRETARIAT TO DERESTRICT DOCUMENTS LISTED REFTEL EVEN IF INTERESTED DELS AGREED TO SUCH DERESTRICTION. SECRETARIAT POINTS OUT THAT SPEC SERIES DOCUMENTS ARE WORKING PAPERS OF LIMITED DISTRIBUTION FOR USE ONLY OF WORKING PARTY AND THAT THEY HAD NOT ORIGINALLY BEEN CIRCULATED TO OTHER MEMBERS OF THE GATT. SECRETARIAT SAYS MATTER IS THEREFORE UP TO U.S. TO DECIDE WHETHER OR NOT IT WISHES TO RELEASE DOCUMENTS TO U.S. STEEL AND WHETHER OR NOT U.S. WISHES TO SEEK PRIOR APPROVAL FROM MEMBERS OF WORKING PARTY. SECRETARIAT SAYS U.S. COULD RELEASE DOCUMENTS AND TAKE CHANCE THAT OTHER DELS WOULD NOT PRDTEST RELEASE OF SUCH ANCIENT DOCUMENTS OR,
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ALTERNATIVELY, COULD SEEK APPROVAL OF OTHER DELS BEFORE DOING SO. IN EITHER CASE, SECRETARIAT APPEARS DETERMINED TO PLAY NEUTRAL OBSERVER.

2. WE WILL DELAY APPROACHING OTHER DELS UNTIL WASHINGTON DECIDES WHICH OPTION IT WISHES TO PURSUE. VANDEN HEUVEL

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